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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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PROCESSING PAYMENTS FOR  
REMOTELY PURCHASED GOODS

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, entry of the following amendments into the above-identified application is respectfully requested.

## **A M E N D M E N T**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: